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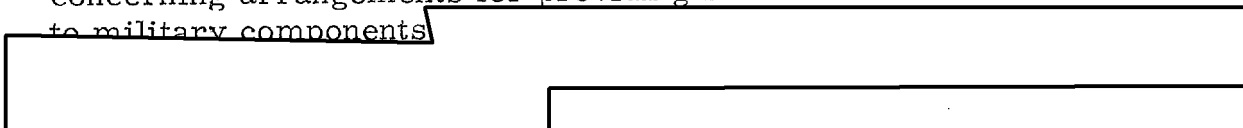
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Vice Admiral Vincent P. de Poix, USN
Director, Defense Intelligence Agency
Washington, D.C. 20301

Dear Vince:

This is in response to your memorandum of 3 December
concerning arrangements for providing sanitized T-KH information
to military components

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I fully realize that more and more of the intelligence necessary
for joint planning is derived exclusively from satellite
photography. I agree that you should continue to authorize the extrac-
tion and provision of specific parts of DIA-originated documents under
the policies and guidelines set forth in DCID 1/7 and NDP-1/3 and the
procedures required by COMOR-D-7/44. I would only add that the
volume of material provided should be held to the minimum
really necessary for military planning and that the intelligence author-
ized for release not be attributed to the sources of our information.

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Sincerely,

/s/ Bill

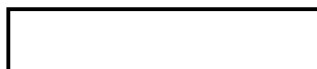
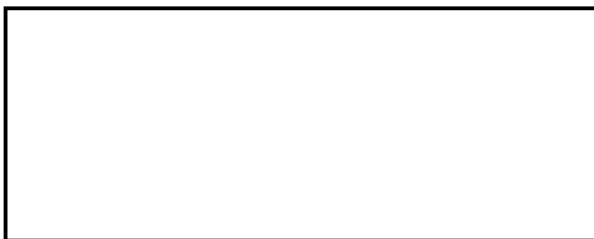
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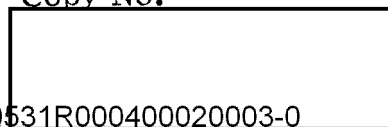
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